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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services announces the following advisory committee meeting.

*Name:* National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), *Joint Meeting:* Subcommittee on Standards and Security and Workgroup on Computer-based Patient Records.

*Time and Date:* 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., December 9, 1999; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., December 10, 1999.

*Place:* Room 705A, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20201.

*Status:* Open.

*Purpose:* On December 9, the Subcommittee and Working Group will review previous testimony and draft recommendations for a report to the Secretary. On December 10, they will discuss the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (NPRM) on claims attachments (if published), draft comments on the RPRM for full HCVHS review, discuss a process for assessing implementations of HIPAA, and discuss issues for year 2000.

*Notice:* In the interest of security, the Department has instituted stringent procedures for entrance to the Hubert H. Humphrey building by non-government employees. Thus, persons without a government identification card will need to have the guard call for an escort to the meeting.

*Contact Person for More Information:* Substantive program information as well as summaries of meetings and a roster of committee members may be obtained from J. Michael Fitzmaurice, Ph.D., Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, 2101 East Jefferson Street, #602, Rockville, MD 20852, phone: 301-594-1483, x1052; or Marjorie S. Greenberg, Executive Secretary, NCVHS, NCHS, CDC, Room 1100, Presidential Building, 6525 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782, telephone (301) 436-7050. Information also is available on the HCVHS

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Service announces the following advisory committee meeting.

*Name:* National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), Executive Subcommittee.

*Time and Date:* 1 a.m.-5:30 p.m., December 7, 1999.

*Place:* Room 405A, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20201.

*Status:* Open.

*Purpose:* At this meeting the Executive Subcommittee will be planning for the February meeting of the NCVHS, discussing the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (NPRM) on Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information, and attending to other business as required.

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*Contact Person for More Information:* Substantive program information as well as summaries of meetings and a roster of committee members may be obtained from James Scanlon, NCVHS Executive Staff Director, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, DHHS, Room 440-D, Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20201, telephone (202) 690-7100, or Marjorie S. Greenberg, Executive Secretary, NCVHS, NCHS, CDC, Room 1100, Presidential Building, 6525 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782, telephone (301) 436-7050. Information also is available on the NCVHS home page of the HHS website: <http://www.ncvhs.hhs.gov/>, where an agenda for the meeting will be posted when available.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services announces the following advisory committee meeting.

*Name:* National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), Subcommittee on Privacy and Confidentiality.

*Time and Date:* 10-12 noon, November 23, 1999.

*Place:* Conference Call, Participants Dial-in Number: 1-888-296-1938, Participants Code: 336102.

*Status:* Open.

*Purpose:* During this conference call, the Subcommittee will discuss the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (NPRM) on Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information and develop recommendations for the full Committee.

*Notice:* This conference call is open to the public using the participants' dial-in telephone number and participants' code, but access may be limited by the number of available telephone lines.

*Contact Person for More Information:* Substantive program information as well as summaries of meetings and a roster of committee members may be obtained from Gail Horlick, M.S.W., J.D., Lead Staff Person for the NCVHS Subcommittee on Privacy and Confidentiality, Office of Research and Demonstrations, Program Analyst, National Immunization Program, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Mailstop E-62, Atlanta, Georgia 30333, telephone (404) 639-8345; or Marjorie S. Greenberg, Executive Secretary, NCVHS, NCHS, CDC, Room 1100, Presidential Building, 6525 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782, telephone (301) 436-7050. Information also is available on the NCVHS home page of the HHS website: <http://aspe.os.dhhs.gov/ncvhs>, where further information will be posted when available.

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